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[RUSH] MESSAGE: CLM at 8/16/2004 and 9/14/2004 adds new claims. Claim 24 is repeated twice - Should the last claim 24 be claim 26? Also Index of claims does not show a final claim number for original claims 25 or 26 (if the second claim 24 is to be renumbered 26).

thank you

[XRUSH] RESPONSE:

Correct Claim 24 is claim 26, see  
Issue Classification for renumbered claims.

INITIALS: AK

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